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C O N F I D E N T I A L BONN 20682

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SUBJECT: POSSIBLE ORDER OF ARMORED CARS FROM WEST

GERMANY

REFS: A. STATE 301114; B. BEIRUT 15408

1. THE EMBASSY HAS ASKED THE APPROPRIATE FRG FOREIGN MINISTRY OFFICIAL ABOUT THE ALLEGED ORDER OF ARMORED CARS DESCRIBED REF. B. WE WERE INFORMED THAT THE FOREIGN OFFICE KNEW NOTHING ABOUT THE ALLEGED ORDER. SHOULD INFORMATION BECOME AVAILABLE LATER, THE OFFICIAL SAID HE WOULD BE BACK IN TOUCH WITH US.

2. THE OFFICIAL INDICATED THAT THE EXPORT OF ARMORED CARS WOULD FALL UNDER THE FRG'S RESTRICTIVE WEAPONS CONTROL LAW WICH FORBIDS THE EXPORTATION OF WEAPONS TO "AREAS OF TENSION." THE OFFICIAL STATED THAT LEBANON QUALIFIED PAR EXCELLENCE AS AN "AREA OF TENSION" AND THAT THE FRG WOULD NOT APPROVE ANY APPLICATION FOR THE EXPORT OF SUCH MATERIALS TO THAT COUNTRY.

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